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	Las Vegas, Nevada 89101	U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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7	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
8	DISTRICT OF NEVADA	
9	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	Case No. 2:24-mj-304-BNW
10	Plaintiff,	UNITED STATES' EX PARTE APPLICATION TO SEAL
11	VS.	CRIMINAL COMPLAINT, ARREST WARRANT AND APPLICATION
12	MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON	WARRANT AND AFFLICATION
13	and	
14	JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON,	
15	a.k.a. "Wesdog,"	
16	Defendants.	
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18	The United States of America, by and through Jason M. Frierson, United States	
19	Attorney for the District of Nevada, and Daniel J. Cowhig, Assistant United States	
20	Attorney, respectfully moves this Honorable Court for an Order sealing the Complaint,	
21	Arrest Warrant and application, and the Court's Sealing Order in the above captioned	
22	matter until such time as this Court, or another Court of competent jurisdiction, shall	
23	order otherwise.	
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It is necessary to seal the complaint and the related documents in this case because they reveal information connected to ongoing investigations involving both the named defendant and confederates. Public disclosure of the information contained in the complaint may compromise ongoing investigations, risk the safety of victims and witnesses, alert confederates to the existence of the investigations, and permit flight in order to avoid prosecution. Further, while one of the named defendants is currently held on a probable cause arrest, the other codefendant is at large. Prior knowledge of the complaint and arrest warrant might pose risks to law enforcement officers executing arrest.

To avoid premature exposure of ongoing investigations, protect the safety of victims and witnesses, and to facilitate defendants' arrests on the requested warrant, the United States respectfully requests this Honorable Court grant the United States' motion to seal the Complaint, Arrest Warrant and application, and the Court's Sealing Order in the above captioned matter in accordance with Local Rule IA 10-5 until further order of the Court.

Respectfully submitted this March 28, 2024.

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1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FILED. 2 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA** DATED: 9:52 am, March 28, 2024 3 U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE Case No. 2:24-mj-304-BNW UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 4 Plaintiff, SEALING ORDER 5 vs. 6 MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON 7 and 8 JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON, a.k.a. "Wesdog," 9 10 Defendants. 11 12 13 Based on the United States' ex parte application, with good cause appearing 14 therefore, 15 IT IS ORDERED that the Criminal Complaint, Arrest Warrant and application, and this 16 Court's instant order in the above captioned matter are sealed in accordance with Local 17 Rule IA 10-5 until further order of the Court. 18 IT IS SO ORDERED this March 28, 2024. 19 20 21 UNITED STATES MAGISTRA 22 23 24